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MEMORANDUM

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1. AIR OPERATIONS

a. 19 December 1951 - First BGBegood mission. 400 Containers with 2,000 cans, plus 500 (1 lb.) flour bags.

b. 10 January 1952 - Drop tests conducted LCDrink on BGBegood chutes and containers.

c. 15 January 1952 - Experimental drop test conducted, using emergency T-7 chutes rigged as cargo chutes attached to containers. (As BGFiend had many of the T-7 emergency chutes on hand it was decided to experiment with a means of using them for cargo dispatch which has been successfully worked out.)

d. 400 BGBegood containers were filled with 2,000 cans packed with macaroni, rice, sugar and salt for the second BGBegood mission.

e. The first leaflet mission for 1952 was prepared and scheduled for 17 January 1952.

2. PERSONNEL

a. [] and [] entered ZASedan Intelligence School 3 January for a two-month's course.

b. [] reported for duty as of 2 January and was assigned to BGFiend Operations Section.

c. [] transferred to LCKnight 15 January.

d. [] terminated his Tdy LCDrink on 20 December 1951 and proceeded to HTStein and then HTCurio for 15 days leave.

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e. 4 W/T's arrived from Wangness on 29 December and entered training here on 7 January. These W/T's have already undergone 7 months training at Wangness and will be thoroughly trained here in time for springtime operations.

3. OPERATIONS

a. The 4-man Willow Team Mission was organized, equipped, trained, and briefed and then sent north on 7 January. They are still awaiting a break in the winter weather to enable them to perform their mission.

b. On 15 January, 20 KMWahoos including the 7 famous rejects were returned to JBPardon.

4. MISCELLANEOUS

a. Wangness was closed down and all equipment and personnel moved to the BGMiddy area. [] and [] are now under [] jurisdiction for training purposes. ✓

b. [] met with the ZRElope representative [] during his visit here and BGFiend's 1952 requirements were outlined to him. Have DRAFT ON THIS SUBJECT]

c. All BGFiend operational equipment held at our LCDrink staging area was inventoried by []

d. Through [] efforts, a secure small warehouse was obtained in which BGFiend operational equipment is stored and the BGBegood packing takes place.

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